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## WARLIKE

Is the Outlook in the Trans-  
vaal Country.  
English Feeling Is that Dis-  
pute Has Reached Its  
Final Stage.

LONDON, August 29.—The feeling  
here is general that the Transvaal  
dispute has reached its final stage.  
Matters must change immediately  
for better or there will be war. Ad-  
vice from Cape Town says British  
troops are being sent to occupy  
strategic points to await develop-  
ments. The tension at Cape Town  
is extreme. Although Orange Free  
State announced it will maintain  
strict neutrality in event hostilities  
between England and Transvaal. The  
increased importation of arms for  
that country excites suspicion. The  
opinion is freely expressed that any  
war will be a race war involving all  
South Africa.

## McLEAN'S CROWD.

Only Political Miracle Will Bring  
About Cincinnati's Defeat.

ZANESVILLE, O., August 29.—Every  
body adds a new sensation to the  
gathering here of Democrats to at-  
tend the state convention which  
opens tomorrow. Chas. Haskell's  
appearance in the race for governor  
causes much speculation and sur-  
prise. Some profess to believe he is  
merely a stalking horse for McLean.  
McLean's defeat can only be re-  
garded as a political miracle. The  
delegates are pouring in by train  
loads today. The convention prom-  
ises to be the biggest in the history  
of the state.

## SQUEAL PREDICTED.

Mercier and Gang Propose to Tell  
Whose Orders They are  
Following.

PARIS, Aug. 29.—The Petit Ecu  
today says: Mercier, Dornier and  
Roguet intend soon to declare  
they have been acting throughout  
the Dreyfus affair under orders  
from Gen. Bugeffre and Salsator.

## RICH STRIKE.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 29.—On  
the Gordon river, which has its outlet  
on the west coast of Vancouver Island,  
and 12 miles from salt water, a ledge  
is said to have just been discovered  
40 feet in width, carrying galena from  
wall to wall, most of it solid, and all  
the ore cracked with it. One assay  
made showed the ore to be 6 per cent  
lead, besides carrying 113 ounces in  
silver and \$13,000,000 in gold to the  
ton.

## WATSON IS ILL.

WASHINGTON, August 29.—Recent  
letters from Manila mention the ill-  
ness of Admiral Watson as the source  
of great anxiety to his officers. It  
is the effect of an accident which  
occurred on the launch while he was  
on board the Baltimore July 11. No  
one but his physician is allowed ac-  
cess to him, and all business of the  
fleet is forbidden.

## PEACE IS AT HAND.

DARIEN, Ga., August 29.—Another  
member of the Deleagal family sur-  
rendered this morning. A circular from  
the negro leaders to the negroes is  
having good effect. Sixty rioters so  
far have been jailed, and others are  
surrendering.

## SICK TO BE RELEASED.

MADRID, Spain, Aug. 29.—The  
Red Cross society here is in receipt  
of advice from Manila to the ef-  
fect that Aguinaldo has agreed to re-  
lease all the sick Spanish prisoners.

## OUT AT SEA.

CAPE MAY, N. J., August 29.—The  
battleship Alabama, which put to  
sea this morning for the builders trial  
trip, is expected to return tomorrow  
or Thursday.

## RESTING IN OHIO.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., August 29.—  
The president and Mrs. McKinley  
are enjoying a quiet day with friends.  
A public reception occurs this evening.

## DREYFUS DAY

The Evidence was Greatly In  
Favor of the  
Accused.

Mercier Back Tracks, Which Fact  
Is a Great Surprise—Several  
Sensations Today.

RENNER, France, Aug. 29.—This  
was another good Dreyfus day. L'eu-  
Col. Cordier, retired, who was a mem-  
ber of the intelligence bureau at the  
time Dreyfus was there, occupied  
most of the time of the court-mart al,  
his testimony being strongly in favor  
of Dreyfus. Ex-Minister of War De-  
freynet also testified regard-  
ing the foreign syndicate reported as  
formed to fight for Dreyfus' freedom.  
He admitted frankly he had no part  
in the statement. Cordier testified  
that at first he believed Dreyfus  
was guilty, but later became sure  
there was no proof as to the guilt of  
the accused.

Labori read a telegram from a man  
named Pages, a friend of Sandherr,  
denying that Sandherr had  
attempted to bribe him, Sandherr.

Roguet here confronted Cordier,  
saying "What part of my deposition  
are you pleased to designate as  
false?" Cordier replied: "All of it  
is false." "Were you not an anti-  
Semite in 1894?" asked Roguet. "Yes,"  
replied Cordier, "and I still object  
to having Jews in the army, but not  
enough to bring false evidence against  
one of them who is accused of treason."  
This direct thrust at Roguet  
created a great sensation.

Mercier then took the stand, and  
to the surprise of every one, supported  
Cordier in some of his statements.  
He also confirmed Pages' telegram.

Defreyne then testified regard-  
ing the syndicate to free Dreyfus,  
admitting that he had no basis for  
the statement made to Mercier.

Court adjourned after the testi-  
mony of a few minor witnesses was  
heard.

## DEATH OF MISS RENEAU.

She Was at the Home of Her Sis-  
ter, Mrs. S. H. Clark.

Miss Corinne D. Reneau, a lady  
well known in the city, died last night  
at 11:05 o'clock at the residence  
of her brother-in-law, Mr. S. H. Clark,  
in the thirty-seventh year of her age.  
Miss Reneau was born in Albany,  
Ky., and came here with members  
of her family in early life. Mr. Clark  
having married her eldest sister be-  
came her foster father and his home  
was her's all her life. She was the  
last but two of five sisters and two  
brothers, the latter being Mr. Will  
Reneau, for many years being a mer-  
chant of the city, and Mr. Young Re-  
neau, a railroad. The two living  
sisters are Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Lee  
A. Elson, of Massac county, Ill.

Miss Reneau was a member of the  
Episcopal church and her remains  
will be buried therefrom tomorrow  
afternoon at 3 o'clock. The burial  
will be at Oak Grove cemetery. All  
friends are invited without further  
notice.

A FRIEND'S TRIBUTE.

All friends regret to learn of the  
death of Miss Corinne Reneau, who  
has been ill with typhoid fever for six  
weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs.  
S. H. Clark, in this city. The deceased  
was a most lovable Christian character,  
loved by all who knew her for her  
very kind and generous traits of her  
virtue. Her death will be quite a  
shock to friends and relatives; as, al-  
though she has been very ill for weeks,  
hope was entertained for her recovery  
until the last few days. She was born  
in Albany, Ky., and was aged 37 years,  
the youngest child of John Pleasant  
Thurman Reneau, of Lynchburg, Va.,  
and Susan E. Watson, of Fairfax  
county, Va. The deepest sympathy  
is extended to the family, particularly  
to Mrs. Clark, as she has been twice  
bereft from this city. The deceased  
her brother, William H., only a few  
months ago.

## SPAIN STIRRED UP.

Over Publication of Document  
Relative to Portugal Annex-  
ing That Country.

MADRID, Spain, Aug. 29.—A docu-  
ment written by an aid to the king  
of Portugal advising an alliance with  
Spain, has been made public here. It  
has caused a great stir throughout the  
country.

## RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.

OTTUMWA, Iowa, Aug. 29.—A Rock  
Island passenger train jumped the  
track near here this morning and rolled  
down an embankment. Eight are  
reported injured.

MANHATTAN, Kas., Aug. 29.—An  
east bound passenger on the Rock Is-  
land crashed into a freight train near  
Keat's this morning. The locomotive  
and several coaches were almost de-  
molished. Two trainmen and five  
passengers were seriously injured.

The old William Henry Harrison  
homestead, at North Bend, Ind., fifty-  
seven miles west of Cincinnati, has  
been placed in the hands of a Kokomo  
real estate firm for sale. This histor-  
ical place was the home of "Old  
Tippecanoe" Harrison, and the birth-  
place of his grandson, ex-President  
Benjamin Harrison.

## SEWER FORCE.

There Were But Eight or Ten at  
Work This Morning.

When work began this morning on  
the sewerage, the last of which is  
being constructed on South Third  
street, there were only nine diggers  
to work. This is almost as small as  
the number yesterday, and the work  
has been so delayed that City En-  
gineer Wilcox was last night author-  
ized by the council to employ addi-  
tional men and charge the same to  
the contractors and will do so this  
afternoon if the workmen can be  
found.

Superintendent Eiler is reported  
sick at his home in Terre Haute, and  
Superintendent McNichols has been  
in Chicago for the past week. The  
sewerage would have been finished  
already had it not been for the delays  
occasioned by the failure of the con-  
tractors to find men.

## HARD NUT

The Authorities Do Not Know  
What to Do.

Rock Island His Home—Has Not  
Been There For  
Months.

The city authorities do not know  
what to do with a demented man now  
in the city hospital. He has been  
there for several days, and has been  
rational but few times since he came.  
He was found on the city hall steps  
by City Physician Rivers nearly dead,  
and as an act of humanity, sent to  
the city hospital, to prevent danger  
overtaking him where he lay help-  
less when found.

At first he could tell nothing about  
himself, but as he gradually improved  
under skillful treatment and proper  
nourishment he began to display signs  
of returning reason, and then al-  
most that he was Ike Cohen, of Evansville.  
This was learned to be a mistake,  
and it was not until yesterday that  
Dr. Rivers succeeded in getting his  
story.

The man's name is Henry Ret-  
cker, and his home up to last February  
was at Rock Island, Ill., where he  
has a wife and child. He lives at 146  
York street, and last February went  
to Cincinnati to look after the body  
of a brother who was drowned. He  
found the body and gave it a decent  
burial, and then proceeded to get  
drunk. That is the last thing he re-  
members distinctly. He has been  
wandering around ever since February,  
stark mad, and does not know where  
he has been nor what he has been  
doing. He has a brother, Dr. J. M.  
Retcker, of Quincy, Ill.

The authorities do not know what  
to do with him. He is crazy still,  
and is not safe to turn loose on the  
community. He has been in the city  
hospital as long as the law allows,  
and County Judge Tully will not  
admit him to the poor house, because  
he is not a resident of the county.  
He cannot be sent to the asylum for  
the same reason. It is probable  
that his relatives will be communi-  
cated with, and they may send for  
him.

The man says the last thing he re-  
members was floating down the Ohio  
river in a john boat. He does not  
remember coming to Paducah at all.

## THORITE

The New High Explosive, Rec-  
ommended by the Army Board.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—So-  
satisfactory have been the results of  
experiments made with thorite, the  
new high explosive, that will be re-  
commended by the board of ordnance  
for use in the Philippine campaign.  
Up to this time it has successfully  
undergone the various trials to  
which it has been subjected. Two  
ten-inch shells loaded with the ex-  
plosive were fired through a five  
inch plate and failed to explode,  
breaking the steel walls of the shell  
into small particles.

## BREACH OF ORDINANCE.

Several Warrants Issued This  
Morning By Judge Sanders.

Judge Sanders this morning issued  
several warrants against merchants  
for failing to procure a license to do  
business, and for failing to take out  
the necessary license to run their  
wagons. The cases will be tried as  
soon as the warrants are served.

## ENTERTAINMENT.

The Knights and Ladies of the  
Golden Cross, Hope and Banner com-  
manderies, will on Thursday night,  
at their citadel in the Campbell build-  
ing, give an entertainment consisting  
of music, recitations and refresh-  
ments, with an excellent program.  
A large number of invitations have  
been sent out, and a pleasant time is  
promised.

## PARK DANCE.

The regular Tuesday night dance  
will come off at the park tonight.  
As the nights are cooler it makes  
dancing not a task but a pleasure.  
Come one, come all, and trip the  
light fantastic toe.

Forest fires are working great de-  
struction in the country south of  
Denver.

## ALMOST BLOODSHED

Tom Ward Attempted to Shoot  
W. C. Waggoner.

Great Excitement at Princeton—  
Special Agent Taylor Takes  
a Hand.

The passengers of the fast mail  
which arrived here yesterday af-  
ternoon were horrified just as the  
train pulled out of the station at  
Princeton, to see two men fighting.  
One of the men had a pistol, and shot  
at the other, and as the train passed  
out of sight, they were still fighting,  
with uncertain results.

The men proved to be W. C. Waggon-  
er, a bridge man of the L. C., and Tom  
Ward, who formerly occupied the  
same position. Waggoner runs the  
company's pile driver, and is well  
known in Paducah. It appears he  
superceded Ward, and thus incurred  
his everlasting dislike.

Waggoner has existed for some time be-  
fore yesterday, and from reports,  
Ward claimed he left an augur in a  
work car when he turned over securi-  
ty to Waggoner, and the latter de-  
clined it. They had words near the  
depot yesterday, and Waggoner  
started to leave. He changed to look  
around and saw Ward with a pistol  
pointed at him. He dodged and at  
the same time the weapon was dis-  
charged, and the powder burned his  
coat, but the bullet missed.

He seized the hand that held the pistol,  
and it was taken from Ward by a by-  
stander. Waggoner was cool and  
collected and told them to let Ward  
go. The latter continued to abuse  
him however, until Waggoner finally  
struck at him, and had he not hit him  
would doubtless have made him feel  
some what indisposed for a while.

This ended hostilities for awhile,  
but last night Ward got on another  
rampage, and met Special Agent Tay-  
lor, of the L. C. He gave the offi-  
cial some insolence, and was prompt-  
ly knocked down and to a consider-  
able extent cured of his attack of  
pugnacity. At last accounts he was  
quite willing to be good. What the  
special agent gave him will hold him  
for a while.

## JEWISH NEW YEAR.

It Begins Monday Evening and  
Lasts 24 Hours.

Rosh-Hoshana, the Jewish New  
Year, begins Monday evening next  
at sunset, and lasts until the follow-  
ing evening, during which time all the  
stores of those of the Jewish faith  
will be closed. The holiday  
is one of much importance on the  
Jewish calendar, and is observed  
throughout the world with great  
ceremony.

Ten days later the Day of Atonement  
will be celebrated by the Jew-  
ish congregation. At both services  
there will be special music and dis-  
courses at Temple Israel, and Rev.  
Enlow will deliver some of his char-  
acteristically fine discourses.

## AT THE PARK.

A fair crowd was out to the park  
last night to witness the first pro-  
duction of the western comedy drama  
"Claim 76." This play is taken  
from real life in a western mining  
camp. It is full of fun and romance.  
The last act takes place in an east-  
ern boarding school where a couple  
of the hardy old miners come to see  
their little friend Triss. It is a play  
any one can enjoy.

## OAK GROVE IMPROVEMENTS.

The house in Oak Grove will be  
removed to the outside of the cem-  
tery as soon as the contract for doing  
the work can be let. Bids will be let  
in a short time, and the work will be  
finished by winter, if not sooner.  
City Engineer Wilcox estimates that  
the city will then have \$20,000 worth  
of grave lots to dispose of.

## BRAKEMAN HURT.

Jake Walker, a colored brakeman  
on the Illinois Central, was brought  
to the city from Memphis division  
this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and  
taken to the L. C. hospital with his  
legs badly crushed. He was hurt to-  
day while coupling cars. Amputa-  
tion may be necessary.

## MANY STAMPS.

Most of the saloon keepers, in re-  
sponse to the mayor's notice, have  
affixed the 50-cent revenue stamps  
to their bonds, as required by law,  
and neglected last year. The few  
who have failed will have to come up  
at once or be prosecuted.

## MAY AND DECEMBER.

George Jackson, the well-known  
fisherman, yesterday afternoon en-  
tered his third matrimonial venture,  
the partner he then selected being  
Mrs. Jane Jones, who was a widow.  
Judge Tully, at the county court  
house, performed the ceremony.

## NEW POLES UNLOADED.

The new poles received for the extra  
electric lights were today unloaded,  
there being three car loads of them,  
and the work of putting up the lights  
will proceed at once. The poles are  
valued at \$200.

## HURRAH FOR MUNDI.

Philippine Chief Joins the Amer-  
icans and Wins a Victory

MANILA, Aug. 29.—A report re-  
ceived here from Cebu says Mundi  
Mundi, with his tribesmen, has taken  
the warpath against the insurgents,  
who are holding Zamboanga, and has  
given them a warm battle, Mundi  
welcomed Gen. Bates, saying he was  
anxious to become an American citi-  
zen, and asked permission to fight  
the insurgents. He was given an  
American flag.

Under Spanish rule he supervised the  
Moros of the entire southwestern penin-  
sula of the Mindanao Island. He  
visited Gen. Bates at Jolo to give  
adhesion to the United States. Bates  
returned him to a small island near  
Zamboanga, when he requested per-  
mission to drive out the insurgents,  
but was told that troops would be  
sent to Zamboanga soon.

Mundi is an able man, educated  
abroad and thoroughly loyal to  
American interests.

## BROOKLYN CAMP MEETING.

Large Crowds Attend the Services  
Every Day.

The camp meeting in progress at  
Brooklyn is very successful, and is  
being attended by large crowds every  
day. Services are held every after-  
noon and evening. Rev. W. H. Rhodes  
is conducting the services, and Prof.  
Walter Rhodes leads in the music.  
Miss Clara Rhodes being organist.

Excursions will be run from time  
to time for the benefit of people  
residing at a distance, who desire to  
attend the meeting, the George Cow-  
ling to run three from here next Sun-  
day. It is thought that much good  
will be accomplished in the month  
that the meeting will be in progress.

## ELKS' EXCURSION.

There were about two hundred ex-  
cursionists aboard the Jo Fowler  
this morning when she pulled out  
for Cairo with the Elks. It was  
one of the most select crowds seen  
on a Cairo excursion in some time,  
and the good weather made every-  
body appear in excellent spirits.  
There was a good band aboard and  
the boat officers spared nothing to  
make it one of the most pleasant trips  
of the year. The crowd was more  
than anticipated, not many being  
expected on account of the number  
of excursionists that have already been  
run this year, and the fact that it was  
a week day.

## REMOVING BOWLDERS.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the  
mayor and council will go out on  
a tour of inspection of the streets  
on which the gravel furnished under  
the present contract has been used.  
There has been a general complaint  
of the gravel ever since it has been  
used. This morning the city had  
men at work on Broadway removing  
or covering up the huge boulders  
found in places. A great deal of in-  
terest is being taken in the result  
of the inspection.

## SALOONKEEPERS WARRANTED.

All the saloon keepers in the city  
were yesterday afternoon warranted  
by Judge Sanders on a charge of  
violating the sabbath, and the cases  
will come up tomorrow in the police  
court. This is done just before every  
grand jury meets, and the next grand  
jury meets Monday. It is probable  
that all of them will plead guilty.

## DIED IN LOUISVILLE.

News of the death of Mrs. Kate  
Frey, wife of Mr. Jacob Frey, and a  
sister of Mr. George Salsator, con-  
day, she died in Louisville yester-  
day from consumption of the bowels,  
and the funeral will take place this  
afternoon.

## ADMINISTRATOR QUALIFIED.

Mr. John Adkins today qualified  
as administrator of the estate of the  
late Charles Judge, his brother-in-  
law.

Sarah Harris qualified as adminis-  
tratrix of the estate of Belle Gray.  
They are colored.

## NO POLICE COURT.

There was no session of the police  
court this morning, no arrests having  
been made last night. Tomorrow  
morning the rape case against Wilgitt  
will come up for trial.

## DEPUTY HARLAN IN CHARGE.

Deputy Marshal Harlan is in charge  
of the city marshal's office today.  
Marshal Collins having gone to  
Cairo on the Elks excursion.

## SHOT HIS WIFE.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 29.—Sun-  
day night Edward Rhodes, a young  
man, met his wife, who said him for  
divorce last week and has since re-  
fused to live with him. He begged  
her to return home. She refused,  
and he shot her three times. The wo-  
man is dying. Rhodes was arrested.  
The couple have one child.

Paris, with its many peculiar and  
grotesque situations, is likened to a  
huge stage upon which opera bouffe  
is being enacted.

## FOR BIGAMY.

Thomas Glisson is Charged With  
Having too Many Wives

His Former Wife Gets on His  
Trail and Swears Out a  
Warrant.

Mrs. Florence Glisson last evening  
went before Judge Sanders and swore  
out a warrant against Thomas Glis-  
son, her husband, charging him with  
bigamy. She alleges that he married  
her here on October 22, 1893, and de-  
serted her.

She recently ascertained that on  
February 25, 1899, he married Mary  
Fordan at Metropolis, Ill. She ap-  
plied for a warrant several days ago  
but was told to get satisfactory evi-  
dence of her husband's second mar-  
riage, which she did.

Last evening she came to the city  
accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Evers,  
of Metropolis, and the warrant against  
Glisson was given to Deputy Sheriff  
Evers Rogers and R. C. Uitterback for  
execution. They drove to Glisson's  
home about two miles from the city  
on the Hinkleville road, but Glisson  
saw them first and ran.

They chased him for about two  
miles, Deputy Rogers firing five shots  
at him. He escaped and it is not  
known whether he was struck or not.  
Every effort will be made to capture  
him, telegrams having been sent out  
in all directions.

When the officers first went into the  
lot after their man, some of the

## SCHOOL HOUSE FIRED

At Smithland—Was Badly Dam-  
aged by the Blaze.

It Caught Early in the Evening—  
Thought That Boys Did It  
—Officers Here.

Sheriff Dick Cowper and Jailer  
Thos. Threlkeld, of Smithland, Liv-  
ingston county, came down this morn-  
ing in a skiff, pulled by Charlie Za-  
none, after bloodhounds to trace the  
person or persons who last night  
set fire to the school house at Smith-  
land.

Early in the evening somebody  
living near the building discovered  
a bright light inside, and knowing  
that no one had any business there-  
about, an investigation revealed the  
fact that the building was on fire.  
It required quick work to check the  
flames, but it was accomplished after  
several hundred dollars' worth of  
damage had been done to the build-  
ing.

Entrance was gained to the build-  
ing by tearing off the ventator,  
crawling underneath until the main  
hall was reached and then the flames  
were started. A piece of old oil com  
was found, indicating that it had done  
good service in getting the fire to  
burning briskly.

The building cost \$5,000, and  
school was to have begun on Sept.  
11. One theory is that boys set fire  
to the building so they wouldn't have  
to attend school this term.

## NOW FOR A FIGHT.

Transvaal Republic Declines to  
Make Further Concessions

CAPE TOWN, S. A., Aug. 29.—  
Replying to the latest propositions of  
the British secretary of state for the  
colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, the gov-  
ernor of the Transvaal, has no objec-  
tion that it adheres to its original of-  
fer, and will not make any further  
concessions.

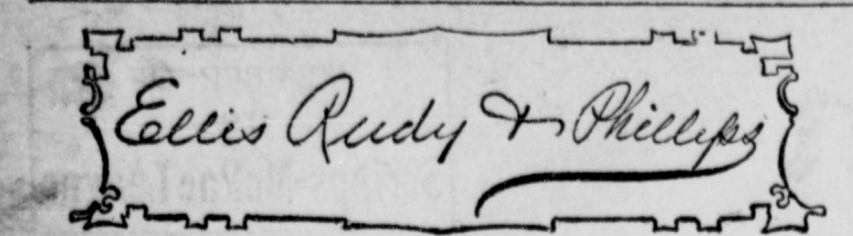
"Old Ironsides" will not take part in  
the naval parade at New York in honor  
of Dewey. The navy department de-  
cides that the old frigate is too val-  
uable a relic to be exposed to the risk  
attending the trip from Boston.



Are you looking for  
**Oxfords or Slippers?**

Not a pair reserved in this cut





# EARLY ARRIVALS

## Novelties FOR Fall

### The Plaid Show.

New plaid goods coming in day by day add grace and beauty to the collection. Wise shoppers are snapping them up eagerly.

Pretty cotton plaids 15c yard. 36-inch plaids for skirts 25c yard. All-wool Scotch plaids, beautiful color combinations 50c yd. Exclusive novelties in handsome plaid skirt patterns, 4 yards in each, \$1.00 to \$1.50 yard.

### Our Neckwear Department

Gains new friends daily—fastidious friends—who will only wear the most correct styles. The saving in this department will surprise you.

Heavy silk Eton ties, plain and fancy styles, only 25 cents. Black satin bow ties, 25 cents. Latest novelty, Imperial Four-in-Hands, in the new blue, red and lavender shades, 50 cents.

### Another Shipment of Tailor-Made

Skirts—popular plaid skirts—ready to wear, for less than the materials would cost you.

Another lot of those black nun's skirts which have sold so quickly at \$2.95.

### New Outing Cloths

In large plaids and stripes, dark colors, perfect imitations of all-wool dress goods, only 15c a yard.

### Muslin Underwear.

Not a shop-worn offering—all of them fresh and new.

### Three Night Gown Specials.

50-cent, good quality muslin gowns, with yokes, surplice neck and Hamburg trimming.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 1900.

The mortality list of Americans in the Philippines is smaller than that reported in the Klondike from time to time.

American sanitary measures have given Havana better conditions than were ever known before in the history of the place. The government report just out shows this to be the case.

Hen W. T. Ellis, of Owensboro, who is an election commissioner for the state is making Goebel speeches and strongly supporting the Goebel law.

It would seem that a man who occupies the position that Mr. Ellis does would find it consistent with his duty to keep off the stump at least or get out of the office he holds, considering it is a non-partisan office or it is nothing. But in the Goebel canvass candor and discretion have been thrown to the wind and Mr. Ellis is about as honest in his actions and what he is saying as the balance of the Goebel gang.

The burden of all the opposition of the Hamilton papers to Brown and the republicans for that is the fact that the L. & N. railroad failed to take them up in the mountains to show the boss something. The people understand the animus and jealousy of the papers mentioned and in November will teach them a lesson or two.

Japan continues in a quiet way to enlarge its navy. It has in commission or under construction five first-class armored battleships of over 12,000 tons displacement, besides five armored cruisers of the largest type and fifteen fast unarmored cruisers. The reason for China's proffered alliance with Japan is evident.

In his Bowling Green speech Mr. Brown, in a general roast of the Goebel bill, said, among other things, that the "clause stating there could be no appeal from the decision of the commissioners had been omitted from the printed copies of the statutes sent out through the state, but that it was in the statute deposited with the secretary of state." The Goebels are clearly preparing to resort to all kinds of trickery to deceive the voters.

Mr. Brown in his Bowling Green speech paid his respects to some of the ingrates who owe him so much and who are now paying the debt with abuse. He rubbed it in on the fellows in fine shape and yet did it most gentlemanly. Mr. Brown put them on their honor to tell the truth, and this they will have to do or hear further from the valiant old gentleman.

The German papers are saying that France is going to pieces over the Dreyfus case. How do the people of France like this kind of talk from their old foe, and yet does it not seem to be about the size of the conditions?

DREYFUS' FIRST TRIAL.

In the present trial of Dreyfus no evidence as to the guilt of the prisoner worthy of credence has been or will be introduced. He will be convicted by the laws of the army if possible or released through the efforts of his attorneys in spite of the army's great influence. Dreyfus' first conviction was an outrage as has often been said; it was a crime against humanity and a travesty on justice. In that trial, after hearing all the personal calumnies and after considering the borderline, the court retired, and several ballots being taken the court decided that there was not enough evidence to convict Dreyfus. There were present in the room at the time General Mercier, Commandant Du Path de Cam, Colonel Santher, the judges, Colonel Maurel, the president of the court, Lieutenant Colonel Eberhard, Commandants Florentin, Latron, and Gallet; Captains Roche and Fraystatter, and Commandant Brisset, who acted as prosecuting attorney.

As the court martial, to the knowledge of all these men, was about to acquit the prisoner, General Mercier, minister of war, said:

"Gentlemen, there is something more I shall read to you one sentence from a letter in cipher that came months ago came into my possession by the ministry. You will comprehend its source, although I am not permitted to present the context."

Then Mercier read slowly and in a distinct voice: "Decidedly this is an intrigue. Dreyfus is becoming too exacting." The name Dreyfus did not occur in the note as written. Where General Mercier used the name of Dreyfus there was in the note simply D. The letter was not in cipher, as was afterward proved. Thus General Mercier lied in his statement of fact, and lied again, on his word of honor, in declaring that his perjured accusation proved Dreyfus guilty. No question was raised by the members of the court. They were all officers of the army. The alleged evidence carried with it the weight of an order, and the order was obeyed.

It is clear that this was conspiracy. It has been proved that the letter was forged. It is known now that it did not refer to Dreyfus. Hence the uneasiness of Maurel when questioned Thursday by Labori. Hence the interference of the president of the present court martial. Hence the refusal of General Mercier to answer. Hence the eagerness of General Roget to divert the attention of the court.

These officers know that Dreyfus is innocent. They are merely standing together to save the reputation of the army by piling falsehood on falsehood and perjury on perjury. But fortunately there are also French officers like Colonel Picquart, who know as well as Santher and Maurel the truth about the conspiracy, and are honest enough to tell it.

Kentuckians who vote for Goebel must be tired of a fair ballot and free government. If this is not the case then they are simply too ignorant to deserve a vote.

A CREDITABLE CAMPAIGN.

Louisville Commercial: "CITIZENS of Kentucky who are proud of their state and the opinion entertained of it and its people by voters of other states will applaud and respect Attorney General Taylor and Mr. John Marshall, the standard bearers of the Republican party in Kentucky, for the character of campaign they have made during the first week of the great contest. Since last Tuesday they have made speeches in four counties to immense crowds. Ignoring the disgraceful flings and personal abuse of some Democratic orators, they have yet to indulge in one sentence of vilification or to depart one iota from the high plane on which they pitched their campaign at the London inauguration. Like honest, frank, plain men of business they have refused to indulge in place to the galleries to resort to subterfuges, but on the contrary have shot for the bull's eye and placed the Goebel election bill in the role of defendant before a jury composed of the citizens of Kentucky. Blow after blow dealt straight from the shoulder were aimed at the measure that practically disfranchises the people of this state and the root of the evil was exposed to public inspection. The issues on which the Republican party is making its campaign were stated in terms for the laymen to understand and consider and the audiences were told that the Republican candidates did not want the votes of those who were not hostile to the Goebel bill. In fact, so many, candid and refined was last week's canvass of Messrs. Taylor and Marshall that the people like this sample of the kind of warfare they wage and are whetting their appetites for more."

The democratic talk of either Goebel or Brown getting the rack is a waste of time. Goebel and his gang didn't steal the Louisville nomination to give it to you and they are not going to do so. It is with them office or party defeat.

"ATTRACTION" BLACKBURN.

Louisville Commercial: Goebel must have an attraction for his speakers. For that reason he is always sending Mr. Joseph Clay Styles to be the front for his war bulesque, entitled, "The Subjugation of the South, or the Yankees are Coming." But Captain Blackburn is a success in his way. He makes an able and delightful political clown. The people, however, are getting mighty tired of Joe and his ways. They are onto the free silver senator's stale jokes and demand that he pull another senator's nose; show the white feather confronted by a Texas congressman or write a new speech.

Tuesday, November 7th, just ten weeks from today, the state election occurs.

LOUISVILLE'S NEW RAILROAD

A Chicago dispatch says the Illinois Central contemplates building a branch line from St. Louis, Mo., to Louisville, The United States court at Springfield, Ill., has just confirmed the sale of the St. Louis, Indianapolis and Eastern railroad for \$790,000 to the Illinois Central. The line runs from Effingham, Ill., to St. Louis, Mo., and will be a valuable feeder for the Illinois Central. If the latter company would extend the line from St. Louis to Louisville it would have a line of its own to Chicago. While the report that the railroad will be built has been confirmed, there is doubtless some truth in it.

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## NOT ACCEPTED

Council Defers Action on the Report of the Census Enumerators.

GRAVEL QUESTION DISCUSSED

Council Will Inspect it in a Body

—Pumping Station Contract Not Let.

OTHER PROCEEDINGS OF BODY

The council met last night in called session, all the members present except Councilman Yeiser.

Mayor Lang read his reasons for calling the meeting.

The matter of accepting North Street from Burnett street to Terrell line was considered. The report of the committee was favorable. The street roller is out of repair and for this reason Councilman Terrell has not rolled it, but as his time for completion expires before Monday he desired the city to receive it now. The report of the committee to receive the street was concurred in.

The street committee, mayor and city engineer, to whom was referred the matter of extending the time for completing South Tenth street, was not ready to report. A petition from property owners was read asking that the extension of time be refused. The street has been graded and gravel placed on it, leaving it in a very bad condition. The time was extended to December 1 on condition that he gravel by October 1 from Court to Jackson. There is a discrepancy in the ordinance and profile, which prompted the city to stop the work to obviate future complications.

The mayor said the next thing was to get an expression from the council relative to the quality of gravel being placed on the street.

City Engineer Wilcox when asked said he didn't like the black gravel and didn't think it was as good as red gravel, and that it didn't seem to cement at all.

Councilman Ezell said he had been looking at the gravel placed in front of his business house, and although the roller had been working the best part of two weeks, the street was soft and did not seem to cement. He moved that the council as a body inspect the gravel on Broadway and on other streets this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Councilman Jones said the street roller was a good thing and if the streets were properly built would be compact. He did not like the idea of opening up the streets and then mixing dirt, gravel and all.

Councilman Ezell said he believed the roller was a good institution and one of the best investments the city ever made, but did not believe the roller in five years could make a good street out of Broadway with the kind of gravel used.

Mayor Lang made a statement about other streets on which the gravel had been used, claiming that the gravel has well cemented, especially on Clay street. The motion to inspect prevailed.

The contract with Mr. F. W. Katterjohn to complete the sewerage pumping station for \$1,930.70 and \$380 for extra work, was discussed.

Councilman Fowler wanted the matter deferred until the next meeting in order to hear from Contractor White's bondsmen.

Mr. Davis moved that the contract be awarded Mr. Katterjohn at the original figure, the increase of \$380 being for a large pump, which he deemed unnecessary. This motion, also, was lost. This left the matter where it was at first and no further action was taken. Some of the council claim a 6-inch pump is large enough, while others say an 8-inch is necessary.

Mayor Lang stated he had appointed Mr. Frank Smalley, owner of the chain gang to succeed the late Wes Cooksey. Appointment ratified.

Mr. C. C. Etter, an extra policeman, was appointed to succeed Mr. Sweeney as a regular police officer.

The assessment of banks, forwarded to Tax Collector Kraus by the state auditor, was referred to Tax Collector Kraus, the City Attorney and Finance committee.

The mayor stated that he had sent Supt. Harry Wallace, of the electric light plant, to Tennessee to purchase poles. The \$25 expenses and freight he amounting to \$128 were allowed.

The mayor read a communication from the water company relative to a request to extend water mains. A clerical error had Tennessee street instead of Ohio and the latter was added.

A petition from Moses Starr was read stating that he collided a few nights ago with an obstruction near the poor house where the road was being worked. No danger sign's had been put out. He wanted \$20 for repairing his bicycle. It was referred to the street and relief committee.

The sewerage committee asked that closets be placed in at Central Fire station. Referred to the Mayor, Sewer Inspector Gardner and chairman of fire committee, with power to act.

A transfer of office house license from J. Murray to J. N. Polk was granted.

Chairman Johnson said sometime ago the old bell on the Third street engine house had been loaned to the school board for one of the school.

He desired to have this old bell placed on the fire hose tower at the engine house when it is completed, and attach the fire alarm system to it, this bell ringing the alarm instead of the city hall bell. The old bell desired is now on the Sixth street school house. The bell now on the engine house will be loaned to the school board. The change was ordered made. The city engineer asked for an increase of men on the Third street

sewers. There were only seven men at work there yesterday.

A resolution was adopted demanding that at least twenty men be put to work on the sewers by noon today or the city engineer would employ the necessary force.

Mr. I. D. Wilcox, one of the contractors, stated that the contractors were willing to pay \$1.50 to get the men.

The report of the census enumerators was read. The figures were:

First Ward, 4414.

Second Ward, 2722.

Third Ward, 1788.

Fourth Ward, 2380.

Fifth Ward, 2862.

Sixth Ward, 4908.

Total 19,074.

Councilman Smith said he had heard so much complaint that the census wasn't correctly taken, he moved that action be deferred until the next meeting.

Councilman Fowler said he "told 'em if they got 20,000 they would have to go to the gravel yard for them."

He declared that two thirds of the council had squandered and illegally—the people's money. They wanted it deferred now—probably for a purpose. He said also that the council ought to have gotten Zorn, the directory man and maybe they could have gotten the 20,000.

He said that the city had spent all this money, or would spend it, to advertise Paducah as a village, or it was always thought that she had 25,000 people. He asked if the census had been 22,000, would the other councilmen want the report deferred. He said he paused in vain for a reply.

The census enumerators had done their work honestly and the very best gentlemen who elected them, now wanted to reflect on their ability or integrity by deferring action on the report, or perhaps rejecting it.

Mayor Lang said that Zorn had offered a short time ago to take the census for \$300, and had confidently asserted that the city's enumerators wouldn't get them—but he could. Mayor Lang said that Zorn gave Paducah a greater population in 1895 than in 1897—which no one would believe.

The point was raised that the census takers wouldn't get paid and that Councilman Smith's object in wanting it deferred was to keep from paying them.

Councilman Johnson said they had no idea of not paying the enumerators. They wished it was 22,000 they had to pay them for. He thought there were over 20,000 here. He knew of one man who had a wife and six children off at the springs who were not gotten there were doubtless others. Action was deferred.

The council adjourned.

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## ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mr. Edward O. Leigh left this morning for Owensboro.  
Miss Ellen Perry has gone to Memphis on a visit.  
Miss Susie Temple, who has been a guest of Dr. C. H. Brothers and family, left last night for Southampton, Eng., to spend the winter.  
Mr. Charles McClane has gone to Louisville to attend the State Sunday School convention.  
Miss Fannie Whitlock and Allice Arnold left last night for Louisville to attend the Sunday School convention.

Mr. T. T. Robison has returned from a two months' sojourn at Old Point Comfort and Virginia.  
Mr. Wilson Puryear returned today to Tennessee to reenter school.  
Mrs. J. Robert Lane, formerly of the city, but now of Louisville, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Annie Lowrance leaves tomorrow for her home in Martin, Tenn., after a visit to Miss Ora Leigh.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanderson, a girl.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dornal, of Broadway, are parents of a fifteen-pound boy baby.

Dr. Frank Boyd has returned from Chicago.  
Mr. Harry G. Tandy has returned from Louisville, Bowling Green and other places.

Mr. James T. Dismukes, of Mayfield, was in the city today.  
Mr. W. P. Gattin, of Murray, Ky., was in the city today.  
Mr. G. W. Wilson, of Metropolis, was in the city today.  
Mr. L. B. Duncan, of Mayfield, Ky., was in the city today.

Mr. B. A. James, of Evansville, is at the Palmer.  
Mr. L. A. Boli, Jr., of Kuttawa, was at the Palmer today.

Mr. J. Will Fisher and family returned this morning from Chicago.  
Mr. Chas. M. Leake, wife and daughter returned this morning from Chicago.

Mrs. Will Bradshaw and daughter returned this morning from Chicago.  
Mr. H. C. Allison and wife returned this morning from Chicago.

Rev. and Editor J. Lay Wolf, of Brooklyn, was over for a while this forenoon.  
Miss Mary Lee Clarke, of Owensboro, arrived yesterday afternoon on a visit to the Misses Reed, on Court street.

Mr. J. Dunn and wife and son Arthur, of Brooklyn, Ill., are in the city today.  
Miss Minnie Lambert and Charles Burnett, of Vienna, Ill., are among the visitors today in the city.

Mr. Otis F. Barnhill, the handsome young nephew of Mr. Will Barnhill, the owner of the Paducah stock yards, left Saturday for Savannah, Tenn., where he will attend school.

Ote Burke, of Fulton, is in the city.  
Mrs. S. M. Smith has returned from Louisville, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. George Siebert.

Mrs. R. R. Winston and daughter are expected home from a visit to Dresden, Tenn., this afternoon.  
Mr. Walter Smith, of Dyer, Tenn., was in the city today on a brief visit to his parents.

Miss L. T. Ward returned to her home in Columbus, Ky., after a visit to Mrs. Bud Quarles.  
Mr. Evan Prosser, of the B. O. and S. W., is at the Palmer.  
Miss Fannie Foster, of Mayfield, and Miss Maud Farley, of Mechanicsburg, are guests of Miss Maud Byrd.

Mrs. M. E. Ham and two children, of Louisville, who have been visiting Mrs. Weil and family, left this afternoon for Birmingham, Ala., on a visit.  
Mr. M. W. Oliver, of Benton, is in the city. He takes charge of the Tribune, his new purchase, Friday.  
Dr. W. T. Graves is this afternoon reported slowly improving. A report was started that he was worse, but a telephone message from his family conveyed the above information.

## LOCAL LINES.

—The finest and coldest glass of beer in the city can be found at Lagomarsino's.  
—Ingleside Rebekah Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Odd Fellows Hall. A full attendance is desired.  
—If you want a cold glass of beer and a drink of fine old Kentucky whiskey call at Lagomarsino's.

—Most of the Chicago excursionists have returned home, worn out but happy. They all report an enjoyable time.  
—Lagomarsino has just received direct from T. W. Samuels' distillery ten barrels of seven-year-old whiskey. Try it.

—Rev. James W. Stockman, of Charleston, Mo., will preach at the Second Baptist church Wednesday night, corner Ninth and Ohio streets. Everybody invited.

Dr. J. E. Coyle, office 1531 Broadway, residence 1110 South Fourth street, office telephone, 373; residence telephone, 432.

—The members of the Foreign Missionary Society of the Broadway M. E. church will meet tomorrow at 4 o'clock.

—Try Lagomarsino's T. W. Samuels' straight whiskey—10 cents per drink.

—An enjoyable evening was spent by the young people who attended the dance given last night at La Belle Park by the younger set.

—Lagomarsino puts over his bar nothing but T. W. Samuels' straight whiskey.

—The infant child of Mrs. McNaw died yesterday at the poor house and was buried by the county. The mother was sent to Princeton to relatives.

—Try Lagomarsino's straight seven-year-old T. W. Samuels' whiskey.

—At a called meeting after services last evening the members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Broadway M. E. church changed the time of holding their regular monthly meeting from the first to the last Wednesday in the month. Members please remember the change of time.

Dr. B. B. Griffith, office back of McPherson's drug store. Telephone 180. Residence 415 South Ninth. Residence telephone, 240.

—E. H. and W. C. Seaton died to J. C. Nach, for \$227, land in the county. E. E. Holt died to W. J. Danney, for \$225.75, land in the county. W. A. Gaudreil died to W. J. Holt, for \$225.75 land in the county.

Dr. J. W. Peadar, office 116 South Fifth street. Residence 2818 Broadway. Office telephone, 416; residence telephone, 416.

—Last night was quite pleasant and today opened with a balmy atmosphere. The day has been bright and calm and at noon the sun was shining warmly.

—The city has been rather quiet in all circles.

—A lively fight was reported from Fulton this afternoon, between Raymond Paschall, of the Fulton quarries, and Sam Norman, of Mayfield, former state auditor. Norman is a shoebeater while Paschall is a "bolter." No serious damage was done by either combatant, but considerable excitement was created.

—I. B. Overstreet went before Judge Sanders this afternoon and complained that someone had stolen his trousers, and he found them in a second hand store where they had been sold by a white man. The latter's name will be secured and he will be warranted for obtaining money by false pretenses.

## FERRYBOAT STRANDED.

The ferryboat Bettie Owen made her first trip to the Illinois shore this morning, but when she started back towards Paducah with her second load about 7 o'clock, she was stranded on the sand bar near the other shore, and there remained until after noon, unable to get away by the other.

She was heavily loaded with wagons, and the passengers had a tedious wait. When she finally succeeded in getting off, she had to return to the Illinois shore and unload all the wagons but two, and leave them. It is probable that she will abandon entirely the trips to the upper landings, opposite the city, owing to the low stage of the river. The farmers will then be compelled to go to Brockton to be transported to Paducah.

## YACHT CLUB INCORPORATED.

The Paducah Yacht club's afternoon field of incorporation in County Clerk Graham's office.

The incorporators are: Messrs. S. A. Fowler, Jos. L. Friedman, Abe Weil and Geo. C. Wallace. The capital stock is \$3,000, and the incorporators each own four shares. There is to be a board of five directors, and they will elect the officers of the club. The officers may be depowered by a majority vote of the board.

The object of the club will be to run excursions, carry freight and do a general steamboat business. It will begin business Sept. 1, and continue for ten years.

## MUCH CONGESTION.

Some of the doctors report several cases of congestion there are two cases in the city hospital, one of which may cause the death of Orange Brown, colored.

A woman named McReynolds, on Eighth street, also has a attack of it. Some of the doctors say the continued hot weather has caused it.

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## THE RIVER NEWS.

Cairo, 8.7; falling.  
Chattanooga, 1.4; rising.  
Cincinnati, 4.1; falling.  
Evansville, 4.9; stand.  
Florence, 0.2; stand.  
Johnsboro, 0.9; falling.  
Louisville, 3.2; rising.  
Mt. Carmel, 1.9; falling.  
Nashville, 1.8; falling.  
Paducah, 3.0; falling.  
Pittsburgh, 5; falling.  
St. Louis, 7.7; falling.

The ferryboat Bettie Owen has greatly detained today in making her cross to her regular landing opposite the city. She rubbed hard and is forced to greatly lengthen her trip in crossing the way the channel now shapes.

The City of Sheffield is due out of Tennessee river this evening for St. Louis.

The Joe Fowler had fully 200 people on the Eiks excursion today. The Eiks were equipped for a jolly trip. The boat departed at 8:30 a. m.

The W. J. Cummins is due from Tennessee river this evening. She clears at 5 p. m. tomorrow on her return trip.

Harry Brazleton has been laid up a few days with an attack of the "shakes," but Harry won't be "hooked." It's out again all right.

Business was very quiet today on the wharf.

The John S. Hopkins will be nearly new when her repairs are completed. The work is being done at Evansville. Captain Ben Howard is improving rapidly and in a short time will be in command of some good boat.

The pilots who are seeking higher wages use the argument that, if the coalmen and other firms identified with the river interests have the right to enter a combination to better their financial condition, they, too, have the right to organize to better theirs. The statement that no coal will be shipped in the event of a rise unless the scale is granted is considered all bosh, as many pilots have hired for the season and do not intend to resign, now that they have received several months' pay without doing any work.

—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Says the Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph: The local steamboat inspectors are watching the movements of the proposed river combination. The combination may affect their salary. At present they receive \$1,800 a year, having inspected 152 boats last season. If the combination should cut down expenses by doing away with half a dozen boats in the pools, it would bring the number of inspections below 150 annually and the local inspectors would receive a \$300 cut in salary as a consequence. The salary is based on the number of inspections.

The J. N. White is now on the ways and the boys are putting her through as fast as possible.

After giving the time of the R. E. Lee in her race with the Natchez to St. Louis in 1870, the Louisville Courier-Journal goes to say: "The Natchez made a run in the same year from New Orleans to Baton Rouge, 120 miles, in 7 hours, 40 minutes and 42 seconds; to Natchez, 300 miles, in 16 hours, 36 minutes and 47 seconds." The usually well informed C-J. is a little off in this statement, says the Vicksburg Herald. For the sake of accuracy, the Natchez made the run in October, 1880, from New Orleans to Baton Rouge in 7 hours, 49 minutes and 30 seconds; to Natchez, in 16 hours, 51 minutes and 30 seconds. The Lee made the run in the same month to Baton Rouge in 7 hours, 40 minutes and 15 seconds, and to Natchez in 16 hours, 36 minutes and 47 seconds. This is the official time then recorded.

## THE SICK LIST.

Miss Pauline Hinton is ill.

Postman Chas. Holliday is on the sick list.

Mrs. E. A. Yeiser is very ill at the city hospital.

Mrs. N. J. Harris, of Harrison street, is on the sick list.

Mr. Frank Fisher, son of Mr. J. Will Fisher, is ill from fever.

Mrs. A. Yopp, wife of the Jackson street grocer, is ill.

Mr. Otis Richey is recovering from his recent illness.

Mrs. Stunks, of North Sixth street, is ill from malarial fever.

Mr. Jake Seamon, the grocer, is suffering from an attack of fever.

Mrs. B. B. Davis and daughter are both quite ill.

Mr. E. B. Jones, who has been ill since he returned from Dixon, is still quite sick.

Mrs. Elbridge Palmer is suffering from an attack of fever.

A child of John Bryan, the grocer, is ill at the family residence on Harrison street.

Miss Clara Thompson, who has been ill for a week with fever, is much better today.

## DOWN WITH A CRASH.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Twelve heavy steel arches of the new Coliseum building fell yesterday afternoon. Nine bodies of dead workmen have been taken out, and two others are missing. Thirteen injured men were rescued.

Later—Search in the ruins of the Coliseum frame work continues. One man is still missing. All the injured are doing well. Responsibility for the disaster has not yet been placed.

Dr. Daniel R. Brower, who has returned to Chicago from a month's stay in Hawaii, says the spread of leprosy in the islands is alarming.

## CASE LEFT OPEN.

Samuel Silvey, of Hamby Station, was placed on trial before Commissioner Puryear yesterday afternoon on a charge of pension frauds. He was arrested a couple of weeks ago by Deputy Marshal La Rue and lodged in jail here. It is alleged that he has been drawing a pension for ten years for services rendered in the Union army, when in reality he never was in the union army, being only the Tennessee volunteers.

The witnesses came in yesterday afternoon and the evidence was begun, but not finished. This morning it was resumed but the defendant has another witness he desires to introduce, and the case was left open until tomorrow afternoon for further testimony. Attorneys Moss and Campbell represent him.

## HURT BY HAND-CAR.

Hardy Jackson, a section man on the Memphis division of the Illinois central, was brought in last night at 1:23 from Ripley, Tenn., where he was injured last evening by being run over by a handcar. He left there and was going in with a car when his hands slipped from excessive perspiration, and he fell under the car. He was run over and both ankles were badly sprained and his back wrenched in such a manner that he will in all probability be laid up for some time.

## POSTOFFICE CASE TOMORROW

As the pension fraud case consumed the time in U. S. Commissioner Puryear's office, yesterday, the case against Horace Powell, charged with complicity in the Calvert City post office robbery, was set for tomorrow morning. The case, it is thought, will not require much time.

## PRATT SATURDAY.

Judge Clifton J. Pratt, of Madisonville, will speak here Saturday night, and will doubtless be greeted by a large crowd. Judge Pratt is one of the ablest speakers in the state, and has a large following, especially in this district. He is a candidate for attorney general.

## INSPECTOR HERE.

Inspector Seville, of Washington, is in the city to receive and inspect the new elevator in the government building. The elevator is still not ready to run.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE.

Whereas: The fourth day of September will be Labor day, and whereas: The labor organizations of the city are preparing to celebrate this day with appropriate ceremony at La Belle park, the merchants and dealers of the city are respectfully requested to close their respective business places at noon on that day in order that all employees may have an opportunity to attend the park.

Very respectfully,  
JAS. M. LANG, Mayor.

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## COLOR LABORERS, NOTICE

All colored labor bodies of the city and vicinity are cordially urged to meet with local union No. 2, H. C. I. N. F. U. of A. at Odd Fellows hall at the corner of Seventh and Adams street, Friday night, September 1, to make preparations for a public parade on Labor Day, September 4, and to attend the picnic at Eureka park, Rowlandtown. Let every laborer be present, as a cordial welcome is assured them one and all. Joe Hays, Secretary, W. M. Scott, Chairman; J. W. Clark and C. H. House, Committee.

## Eastern Excursion.

On Sept. 1, 2, 3 and 4, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell tickets from Paducah to Philadelphia and return, for \$21.35, good returning until September 12, 1899.

An extension of the final limit to September 20, can be obtained by depositing tickets with joint agent at Philadelphia, between Sept. 5 and 9 inclusive, and on payment of a fee of 50 cents.

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Dr. Max Thorne, a well known specialist of Cincinnati, dropped dead Sunday.

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